

**7811.0500 LOCAL NICHE SERVICE CERTIFICATION.**

Subpart 1. **Filing requirements.** A petition to provide local niche service, but not local service or interexchange service, must include a description of the applicant's business organization, experience, and expertise in providing telephone or telecommunications services, including local niche service. The petitioner must also submit a balance sheet indicating its current financial status, and a statement of when comments and responsive comments are due pursuant to part 7811.0200, subpart 7.

Subp. 2. **Decision criteria.** The commission shall apply the criteria identified in part 7811.0300 or 7811.0350 to the extent those criteria are relevant to providing the local niche services the petitioner intends to provide.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 237.10; 237.16; 237.71*

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